Forecast For East Midlands
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Headline:
Unsettled next few days with heavy rain and strong winds.

Today:
After a fine bright start to the day with light winds, cloud will increase through the morning as the breeze freshens. Rain developing through the afternoon will turn heavy and possibly thundery in places. Maximum temperature 23 deg C (73 deg F).

Tonight:
Mostly cloudy and breezy overnight. Showers continuing, heavy and prolonged in places, especially over the western hills. Perhaps the odd clearer, drier spell developing in the east towards dawn. Minimum temperature 14 deg C (57 deg F).

Friday:
Scattered showers continuing on Friday morning becoming more frequent, heavy and prolonged into the afternoon with an increasing risk of thunder. Windy as well, especially over higher ground. Maximum temperature 20 deg C (68 deg F).

Outlook for Saturday to Monday:
Sunny spells and showers or longer spells of rain with a risk of thundery downpours Saturday and Sunday. Windy. Temperatures below normal. Less frequent showers and lighter winds on Monday.

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